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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/077,596	Applicant(s) SNOW ET AL.	
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Date of Interview: 21 August 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 28-38,55 and 56.

Identification of prior art discussed: yes.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant is willing to change the claim language to include "consisting" so as to overcome the cited prior art. The references were also discussed as to whether they contain a teaching of the use or any other motivation to increase the amount of the isolated active agent and to formulate it in a pharmaceutical composition. Applicant will investigate this issue and make their arguments in the next response.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Yong S Chong/ Examiner, Art Unit 1617	
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